

## Message

**From:** Golightly-Howell.Velveta@epa.gov [Golightly-Howell.Velveta@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 1/8/2016 1:03:28 AM  
**To:** Marianne Engelman Lado [mengelmanlado@earthjustice.org]  
**CC:** Dorka, Lilian [Dorka.Lilian@epa.gov]; Wooden-Aguilar, Helena [Wooden-Aguilar.Helena@epa.gov]; Covington, Jeryl [Covington.Jeryl@epa.gov]; Temple, Kurt [Temple.Kurt@epa.gov]; Packard, Elise [Packard.Elise@epa.gov]; Rhodes, Julia [Rhodes.Julia@epa.gov]; Gsell, Alyssa [Gsell.Alyssa@epa.gov]; Jonathan J. Smith [jjsmith@earthjustice.org]; Pieh, Lusení [Pieh.Lusení@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** Re: Tallassee Landfill Title VI Complaint

Hi Marianne. We're probably looking at early February. Lilian will be in touch about prospective dates/times. Goodnight everyone.

Velveta

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 7, 2016, at 9:19 AM, Marianne Engelman Lado <[mengelmanlado@earthjustice.org](mailto:mengelmanlado@earthjustice.org)> wrote:

Velveta,

I wanted to send a quick follow up email to find out whether you have any proposed times for a call. I know that OCR had initially suggested that you wanted to have this meeting by January 12<sup>th</sup> (see below). At this point, and with all that's going on this month, a January 12<sup>th</sup> deadline isn't feasible and I'm not aiming to squeeze the meeting in during the coming days. At the same time, I want to make sure that the logistics don't fall through the cracks and would be happy to help put something on the calendar for February.

Please let me know.

Thanks,

Marianne

Marianne Engelman Lado  
 Senior Staff Attorney  
 Earthjustice  
 48 Wall Street, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor  
 New York, NY 10005  
 T: 212.845.7393  
 F: 212.918.1556  
[earthjustice.org](http://earthjustice.org)

<image001.gif>

*The information contained in this email message may be privileged, confidential and protected from disclosure. If you are not the intended recipient, any dissemination, distribution or copying is strictly prohibited. If you think that you have received this email message in error, please notify the sender by reply email and delete the message and any attachments.*

---

**From:** Golightly-Howell, Velveta [<mailto:Golightly-Howell.Velveta@epa.gov>]  
**Sent:** Monday, December 28, 2015 10:55 AM  
**To:** Marianne Engelman Lado  
**Cc:** Dorka, Lilian; Wooden-Aguilar, Helena; Covington, Jeryl; Temple, Kurt; Packard, Elise; Rhodes, Julia; Gsell, Alyssa; Jonathan J. Smith  
**Subject:** Re: Tallassee Landfill Title VI Complaint

Thank you Marianne. The interviews will be done by phone. Answers to your other questions will be forthcoming, if they haven't been already.

Velveta

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 14, 2015, at 11:31 AM, Marianne Engelman Lado <[mengelmanlado@earthjustice.org](mailto:mengelmanlado@earthjustice.org)> wrote:

Velveta and Lilian,

Below please find the names of four representatives from the Ashurst Bar/Smith Community Organization who are available to discuss the investigation of the complaint. I am including their contact information but request that you send me potential dates for a meeting so that we can coordinate. Alternatively, I can canvass the group and get back to you on dates that they are all available. Please let me know if you are planning to hold the interview in person or by phone and, also, how long you expect the conversation to be.

Ashurst Bar/Smith Community Organization members:

## Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

Many thanks,

Marianne

Marianne Engelman Lado  
Senior Staff Attorney  
Earthjustice  
48 Wall Street, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor  
New York, NY 10005

Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

[earthjustice.org](http://earthjustice.org)

<image001.gif>

*The information contained in this email message may be privileged, confidential and protected from disclosure.*

*If you are not the intended recipient, any dissemination, distribution or copying is strictly prohibited.  
If you think that you have received this email message in error, please notify the sender by reply email and  
delete the message and any attachments.*

---

**From:** Golightly-Howell, Velveta [<mailto:Golightly-Howell.Velveta@epa.gov>]  
**Sent:** Monday, December 07, 2015 5:53 PM  
**To:** Jonathan J. Smith; Marianne Engelman Lado  
**Cc:** Dorka, Lilian; Wooden-Aguilar, Helena; Covington, Jeryl; Temple, Kurt; Packard, Elise; Rhodes, Julia; Gsell, Alyssa  
**Subject:** Tallassee Landfill Title VI Complaint

Hello Jonathan and Marianne. I'm writing in response to your November 18<sup>th</sup> email to Andrew Zee, Esq. of DOJ, regarding the Tallassee Landfill Title VI complaint that is part of the CARE litigation. As part of its investigation, OCR would like to conduct a group telephonic interview with representatives from the Ashurst Bar/Smith Community Organization. OCR would appreciate your assistance in setting up this interview session. We're willing to talk to a group of up to 4 people, including Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP) who can best discuss issues related to the Title VI allegations accepted for investigation and whether those issues exist today. In addition to interviewing Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP) and the other three individuals that you identify, OCR will share what its investigation has revealed to date. Please let OCR Deputy Director Lilian Dorka know by December 15th the names of, and contact information for, those who will submit to interview to facilitate OCR's investigation. Lilian may be reached at 202.564.9649, or via e-mail at [Dorka.Lilian@epa.gov](mailto:Dorka.Lilian@epa.gov). OCR would like to conduct the group interview by January 12, 2016.

Velveta

Velveta Golightly-Howell  
Director, Office of Civil Rights  
Environmental Protection Agency  
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Mail Code 1201A  
Washington, DC 20460  
202-564-7272